



State of Tennessee

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 269

By Representative Harrison

and

Senator Faulk

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Tiffany Trent on her selection as Teacher of the Year at St. Clair Elementary School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding teachers who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, Tiffany Trent is one such estimable educator who has distinguished herself as a professional of the greatest dedication, ability, and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Trent was recently selected as the Teacher of the Year by St. Clair Elementary School, an honor most befitting her outstanding tenure as a teacher as it recognizes the positive influence she has had on so many young lives; and

WHEREAS, Tiffany Trent attended Walters State Community College and graduated from Tusculum College in 2006 with a bachelor's degree in education; and

WHEREAS, employed by Hawkins County Schools since 2006, Ms. Trent has served with acumen and alacrity as a fifth-grade reading, language arts, and social studies teacher at St. Clair Elementary School for three exemplary years, having previously taught eighth-grade language arts and seventh-grade social studies at Rogersville Middle School; and

WHEREAS, during her estimable tenure, Tiffany Trent has rendered sterling service as a testing coordinator and family engagement coordinator; and

WHEREAS, a highly trained professional in the field of education, Ms. Trent has completed training for the Tennessee Value-Added Assessment System (TVAAS), the Center for Data Driven Reform in Education (CDDRE) Team, and ThinkLink; and

WHEREAS, Tiffany Trent is a devout member of her church, where she has faithfully served as a Vacation Bible School teacher and Girls in Action leader; she also graciously donated her time to help the residents of the Gulf Coast in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Trent truly serves as an inspiration to her colleagues and students alike, and her friendship and counsel are highly valued by those who are fortunate to know her; and


WHEREAS, Tiffany Trent truly epitomizes the ideal of the dedicated teacher who is wholly committed to the highest ideals of public service and quality education for all, and she should be specially recognized; now, therefore,


BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Tiffany Trent on being chosen as the Teacher of the Year at St. Clair Elementary School, commend her exceptional service to the children of Tennessee, salute her professional expertise and personal excellence, and wish her all the best in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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ADOPTED: APRIL 28, 2011


BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES


RON RAMSEY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 10th day of May 2011


BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR